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(54) Title: METHOD TO USE AN EMULSIFIED MATERIAL AS A COATING

(57) Abstract: The invention relates to a novel method to use an emulsified material as a surface coating comprising the steps of:
(a) applying an emulsified material to a surface of a substrate and (b) drying or allowing to dry the emulsified material as a surface
coating on the substrate. The method allows for the precision application of the emulsified material with increased viscosity onto a
surface. Additionally, the emulsified material surface coating can easily be removed if desired.

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Claims Nos.: -

The present claim 1 relates to an extremely large number of possible methods. Support and disclosure in the sense of Article 6 and 5 PCT is to be found however for only a very small proportion of the methods claimed, see page 23, line 27 to page 25, line 4 of present description. The non-compliance with the substantive provisions is to such an extent, that the search was performed taking into consideration the non-compliance in determining the extent of the search of claim 1 (PCT Guidelines 9.19 and 9.23).

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